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HIGHLIGHTS

The 1987-88 data indicates:

- a drop of 0.75 percent or 15,285 students from total public and nonpublic school enrollments of 2,040,840 in 1986-87 to 2,025,555. Public school enrollments declined 0.34 percent and nonpublic school enrollments declined 2.64 percent.

- that Pennsylvania's public school enrollments (1,668,542) included 1,190 or 0.07 percent American Indians or Alaskan Natives; 22,912 or 1.37 percent Asians or Pacific Islanders; 218,351 or 13.09 percent Blacks, not of Hispanic origin; 39,038 or 2.34 percent Hispanics; and 1,387,051 or 83.13 percent Whites, not of Hispanic origin.

- that Pennsylvania's nonpublic school enrollments (357,013) included 258,698 or 72.46 percent in Roman Catholic schools. The 72.46 percent is down slightly from a year ago.

- that the percentage of total school children enrolled in public schools is up slightly from that reported in 1986-87. Currently, 76.85 percent of the 1,138,363 elementary school children and 89.47 percent of the 887,192 secondary school children were enrolled in public schools.

- that public schools operating in Pennsylvania numbered 2,013 elementary, 865 secondary and 435 combined schools. Nonpublic schools operating numbered 1,671 elementary, 188 secondary and 379 combined schools.

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INTRODUCTION

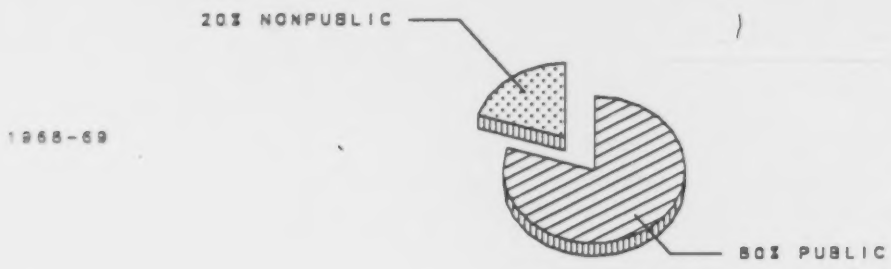
"Public and Nonpublic School Enrollments, 1987-88" is one in a series of publications containing statistical summaries related to basic education, higher education, and vocational education in Pennsylvania. The data contained in this publication reflects current year figures as well as trends on a variety of selected topics. In many instances, more detailed data is available.

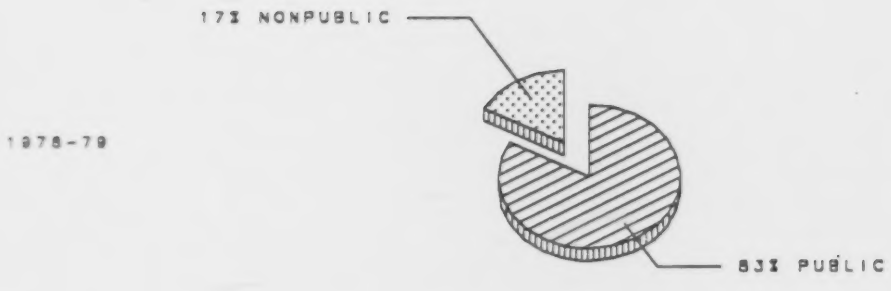
This report contains data on enrollments as of October 1, 1987, in public and nonpublic schools. Enrollments were reported by all the public schools and nearly all the nonpublic schools. The total enrollments in this report represent an unduplicated pupil count.

Requests for more detailed data and questions or comments about the data should be addressed to the Pennsylvania Department of Education, Division of Data Services, 333 Market Street, Harrisburg, PA 17126-0333 (phone 717-787-2644).

Sources: Public School Enrollment Report, 1987-88 (PDE-4035)
Nonpublic School Enrollment Report, 1987-88 (PDE-4036)

FIGURE 1
THE RELATIONSHIP OF PUBLIC AND NONPUBLIC ENROLLMENTS
1968-69, 1978-79, and 1987-88





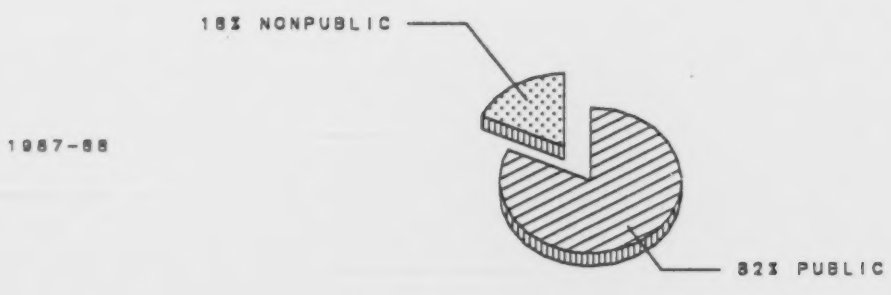


TABLE 1

ENROLLMENTS IN ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY PUBLIC AND NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS
BY COUNTY, 1987-88

COUNTY	ALL SCHOOLS TOTAL	ALL SCHOOLS PUBLIC	ALL SCHOOLS NONPUBLIC	ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS TOTAL	ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS PUBLIC	ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS NONPUBLIC	SECONDARY SCHOOLS TOTAL	SECONDARY SCHOOLS PUBLIC	SECONDARY SCHOOLS NONPUBLIC
STATE TOTALS	2 025 555	1 668 542	357 013	1 138 363	874 784	263 579	887 192	793 758	93 434
ADAMS	13 654	12 006	1 648	7 434	6 420	1 014	6 220	5 586	634
ALLEGHENY	206 887	166 152	40 735	116 528	83 948	32 580	90 359	82 204	8 155
ARMSTRONG	14 188	13 399	789	7 623	6 895	728	6 565	6 504	61
BEAVER	32 124	29 588	2 536	17 306	15 295	2 011	14 818	14 293	525
BEDFORD	9 113	8 821	292	4 774	4 519	255	4 339	4 302	37
BERKS	56 735	50 523	6 212	31 468	27 124	4 344	25 267	23 399	1 868
BLAIR	24 350	21 294	3 056	13 293	10 905	2 388	11 057	10 389	668
BRADFORD	13 126	12 634	492	7 212	6 744	468	5 914	5 890	24
BUCKS	96 881	75 624	21 257	54 729	39 510	15 219	42 152	36 114	6 038
BUTLER	25 824	24 046	1 778	14 238	12 607	1 631	11 586	11 439	147
CAMBRIA	28 782	23 907	4 875	15 752	11 799	3 953	13 030	12 108	922
CAMERON	1 135	1 135	-	581	581	-	554	554	-
CARBON	8 858	7 821	1 037	5 035	4 006	1 029	3 823	3 815	8
CENTRE	13 730	12 821	909	7 359	6 530	829	6 371	6 291	80
CHESTER	62 817	52 286	10 531	35 099	27 840	7 259	27 718	24 446	3 272
CLARION	9 210	8 721	489	4 958	4 509	449	4 252	4 212	40
CLEARFIELD	17 761	16 755	1 006	9 622	9 006	616	8 139	7 749	390
CLINTON	6 351	5 933	418	3 517	3 113	404	2 834	2 820	14
COLUMBIA	11 916	11 279	637	6 336	5 782	554	5 580	5 497	83
CRAWFORD	13 701	12 716	985	7 519	6 595	924	6 182	6 121	61
CUMBERLAND	36 949	33 605	3 344	19 621	17 191	2 430	17 328	16 414	914
DAUPHIN	40 866	34 685	6 181	23 336	18 757	4 579	17 530	15 928	1 602
DELAWARE	86 618	58 318	28 300	50 876	31 556	19 320	35 742	26 762	8 980
ELK	6 702	5 035	1 667	3 683	2 333	1 350	3 019	2 702	317
ERIE	53 476	42 524	10 952	30 815	22 378	8 437	22 661	20 146	2 515
FAYETTE	26 363	23 881	2 482	14 368	12 378	1 990	11 995	11 503	492
FOREST	939	847	92	438	427	11	501	420	81
FRANKLIN	20 666	18 727	1 939	10 614	9 464	1 150	10 052	9 263	789
FULTON	2 732	2 703	29	1 481	1 463	18	1 251	1 240	11
GREENE	7 771	7 673	98	4 051	3 989	62	3 720	3 684	36
HUNTINGDON	7 446	7 149	297	3 776	3 696	80	3 670	3 453	217
INDIANA	15 523	14 578	945	8 318	7 671	647	7 205	6 907	298
JEFFERSON	8 315	8 029	286	4 456	4 170	286	3 859	3 859	-
JUNIATA	3 746	3 485	261	2 059	1 822	237	1 687	1 663	24
LACKAWANNA	34 712	27 833	6 879	19 185	14 297	4 888	15 527	13 536	1 991
LANCASTER	71 105	57 215	13 890	42 415	31 267	11 148	28 690	25 948	2 742
LAWRENCE	17 160	16 090	1 070	9 451	8 517	934	7 709	7 573	136
LEBANON	19 497	17 505	1 992	10 663	9 189	1 474	8 834	8 316	518
LEHIGH	43 705	38 537	5 168	24 441	20 491	3 950	19 264	18 046	1 218
LUZERNE	51 677	42 234	9 443	28 336	21 301	7 035	23 341	20 933	2 408
LYCOMING	21 519	20 165	1 354	11 835	10 861	974	9 684	9 304	380
MCKEAN	9 272	8 708	564	4 770	4 390	380	4 502	4 318	184
MERCER	21 298	19 274	2 024	11 267	9 875	1 392	10 031	9 399	632
MIFFLIN	7 382	6 437	945	4 114	3 281	833	3 268	3 156	112
MONROE	15 704	14 557	1 147	8 583	7 835	748	7 121	6 722	399
MONTGOMERY	112 796	76 493	36 303	63 788	39 861	23 927	49 008	36 632	12 376
MONTOUR	2 856	2 533	323	1 627	1 371	256	1 229	1 162	67
NORTHAMPTON	42 925	36 504	6 421	24 069	19 335	4 734	18 856	17 169	1 687
NORTHUMBERLAND	17 262	14 853	2 409	9 356	7 564	1 792	7 906	7 289	617
PERRY	8 010	7 610	400	4 319	4 093	226	3 691	3 517	174
PHILADELPHIA	282 758	194 698	88 060	171 720	107 604	64 116	111 038	87 094	23 944
PIKE	2 384	2 364	20	1 335	1 315	20	1 049	1 049	-
POTTER	3 647	3 528	119	1 883	1 804	79	1 764	1 724	40
SCHUYLKILL	24 974	21 047	3 927	13 457	10 528	2 929	11 517	10 519	998
SNYDER	5 835	5 480	355	3 173	2 828	345	2 662	2 652	10
SOMERSET	14 859	14 034	825	8 058	7 406	652	6 801	6 628	173
SULLIVAN	1 052	1 007	45	570	547	23	482	460	22
SUSQUEHANNA	8 333	8 258	75	4 659	4 590	69	3 674	3 668	6
TIOGA	7 730	7 396	334	4 122	3 886	236	3 608	3 510	98
UNION	4 646	4 149	497	2 664	2 221	443	1 982	1 928	54
VENANGO	12 895	12 036	859	7 049	6 427	622	5 846	5 609	237
WARREN	7 861	7 448	413	4 312	3 956	356	3 549	3 492	57
WASHINGTON	34 631	31 982	2 649	18 149	16 048	2 101	16 482	15 934	548
WAYNE	7 971	7 478	493	4 454	4 075	379	3 517	3 403	114
WESTMORELAND	64 767	57 999	6 768	34 629	28 854	5 775	30 138	29 145	993
WYOMING	5 243	5 197	46	2 711	2 690	21	2 532	2 507	25
YORK	53 834	49 193	4 641	28 924	25 454	3 470	24 910	23 739	1 171

Elementary enrollments include kindergarten through 8th grade elementary and elementary ungraded enrollments.
Secondary enrollments include 7th grade secondary through 12th grade, secondary ungraded and postgraduate enrollments.
Nonpublic enrollments include resident and nonresident students.
All enrollment data is unduplicated.

Public School Enrollments

FIGURE 2
PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT TREND
FALL 1968 THROUGH FALL 1987

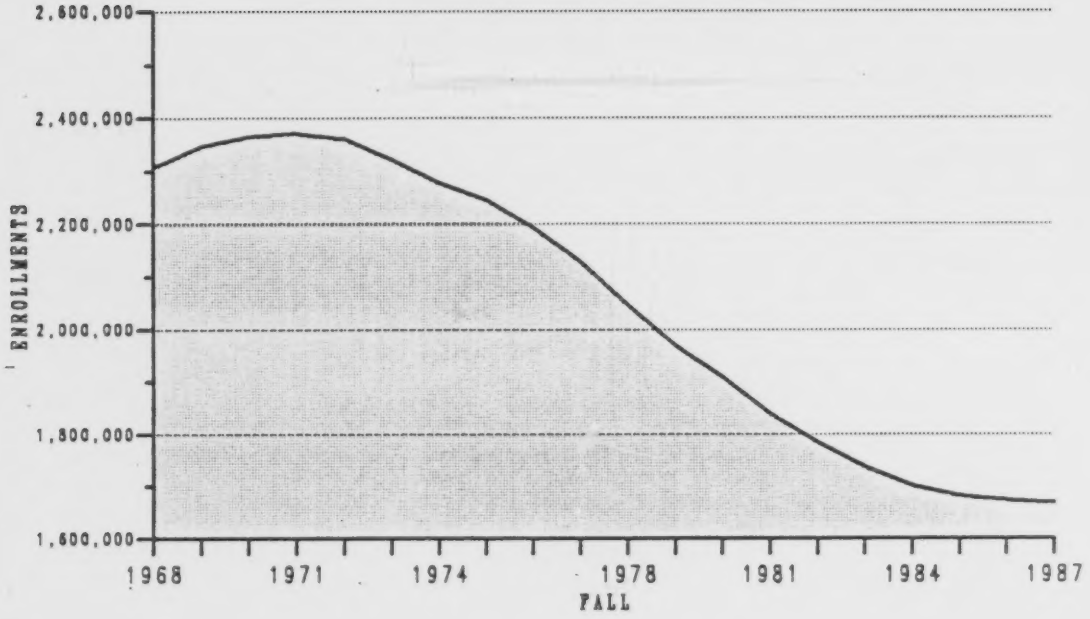


FIGURE 3
PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY ENROLLMENTS
FALL 1978 THROUGH FALL 1987

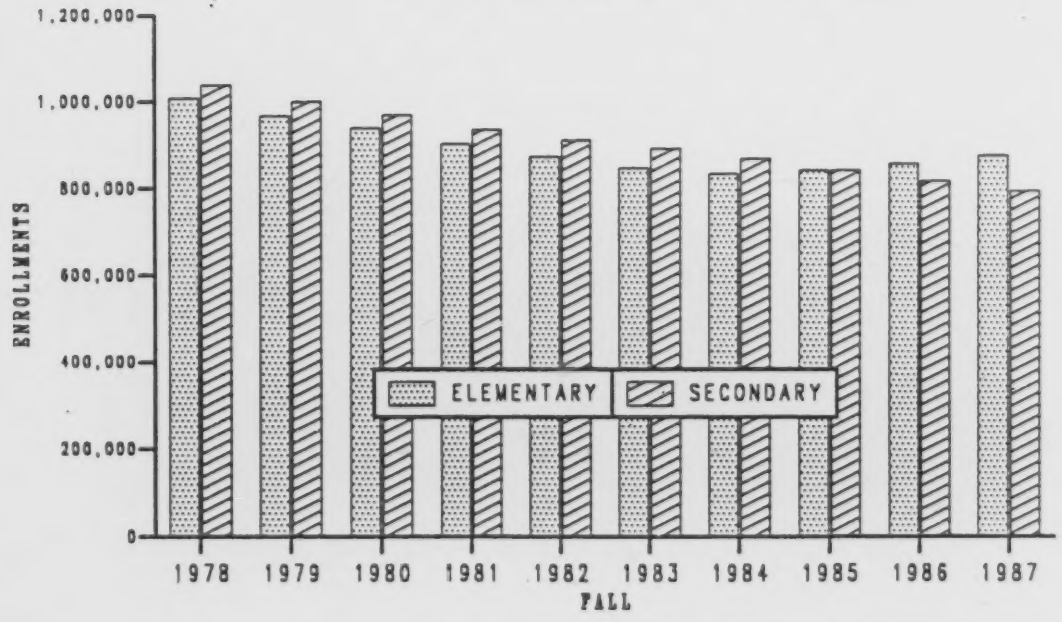


TABLE 2

PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY LEVEL
1978-79 THROUGH 1987-88

Year	Total	Elementary	Secondary
1978-79	2 046 746	1 008 664	1 038 082
1979-80	1 968 801	968 325	1 000 476
1980-81	1 909 292	940 387	968 905
1981-82	1 839 015	903 342	935 673
1982-83	1 783 969	872 629	911 340
1983-84	1 737 952	846 145	891 807
1984-85	1 701 880	833 996	867 884
1985-86	1 683 221	841 419	841 802
1986-87	1 674 161	856 962	817 199
1987-88	1 668 542	874 784	793 758

Pennsylvania's total public school enrollments for 1987-88 were 1,668,542. This represented a drop of 5,619 pupils (0.3 percent) from the 1986-87 figure and a 29.6 percent decline from the high of 2,370,665 pupils reported in 1971-72. Elementary public school enrollments, which crested at 1,267,059 in 1969-70, dropped continually to a figure of 833,996 in 1984-85. Since then, public school enrollments at the elementary level have been increasing. The 1987-88 elementary enrollments were 874,784, a 2.1 percent increase over the number reported in 1986-87 and an increase of 4.9 percent from the low of 833,996 pupils reported in 1984-85. Public school secondary enrollments, which peaked in 1973-74 at 1,137,660, have fallen to their present level of 793,758 pupils. This is a 2.9 percent decline from the 1986-87 figure of 817,199 and a 30.2 percent decrease from the peak secondary enrollment of 1,137,660 pupils.

TABLE 3

PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY GRADE BY COUNTY
1987-88

COUNTY	TOTAL	K	TR	GRADE 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	UN-GRADED
STATE TOTALS	874 784	124 471	2 818	133 593	123 262	118 902	114 588	112 801	110 500	6	7	33 836
ADAMS	6 420	1 028	14	985	857	838	805	827	793	-	-	273
ALLEGHENY	83 948	12 093	85	13 006	11 575	11 227	10 824	10 865	10 394	-	-	3 879
ARMSTRONG	6 895	994	-	1 031	976	960	943	909	891	-	-	191
BEAVER	15 295	2 329	31	2 291	2 095	2 151	1 996	2 003	2 048	-	-	351
BEDFORD	4 519	597	-	687	655	630	602	652	585	-	-	111
BERKS	27 124	3 966	64	4 189	3 917	3 812	3 470	3 428	3 171	-	-	1 107
BLAIR	10 905	1 556	16	1 644	1 545	1 461	1 581	1 426	1 468	-	-	208
BRADFORD	6 744	1 018	92	1 033	936	856	901	860	865	-	-	183
BUCKS	39 510	5 962	263	5 975	5 461	5 098	5 204	5 034	5 098	-	-	1 415
BUTLER	12 607	1 865	72	1 913	1 735	1 739	1 725	1 747	1 639	-	-	172
CAMBRIA	11 799	1 701	-	1 647	1 624	1 592	1 643	1 618	1 663	-	-	311
CAMERON	581	105	-	90	79	82	73	60	74	-	-	18
CARBON	4 006	554	-	582	585	593	525	533	536	-	-	98
CENTRE	6 530	977	51	992	954	894	925	906	813	-	-	18
CHESTER	27 840	4 299	51	4 277	3 827	3 781	3 591	1 668	3 582	-	-	764
CLARION	4 509	624	6	698	613	602	663	599	573	-	-	131
CLEARFIELD	9 006	1 243	-	1 329	1 340	1 236	1 269	1 282	1 227	-	-	80
CLINTON	3 113	456	-	436	462	427	420	422	432	-	-	58
COLUMBIA	5 782	820	11	832	824	800	750	762	749	-	-	234
CRAWFORD	6 595	997	-	962	926	910	917	845	852	-	-	186
CUMBERLAND	17 191	2 296	61	2 604	2 442	2 390	2 268	2 394	2 337	-	-	399
DAUPHIN	18 757	3 099	59	2 847	2 610	2 475	2 310	2 285	2 252	-	-	820
DELAWARE	31 556	4 800	104	4 770	4 458	4 147	3 919	3 884	3 955	-	-	1 519
ELK	2 333	307	-	329	311	346	279	314	323	-	-	124
ERIE	22 378	3 403	47	3 426	3 182	2 946	2 840	2 817	2 821	-	-	896
FAYETTE	12 378	1 759	-	1 774	1 696	1 622	1 661	1 692	1 558	-	-	616
FOREST	427	64	2	60	58	60	65	52	57	-	-	9
FRANKLIN	9 464	1 273	140	1 334	1 336	1 292	1 228	1 310	1 306	-	-	245
FULTON	1 463	198	-	203	210	181	218	209	194	-	-	50
GREENE	3 989	539	10	567	519	518	572	558	545	-	-	161
HUNTINGDON	3 696	500	18	532	548	483	537	522	515	-	-	41
INDIANA	7 671	1 113	-	1 119	1 112	1 091	1 008	1 015	1 019	-	-	194
JEFFERSON	4 170	597	5	580	635	576	549	546	540	-	-	142
JUNIATA	1 822	247	-	275	280	247	253	249	228	-	-	43
LACKAWANNA	14 297	2 063	47	2 034	1 830	1 916	1 911	1 850	1 836	-	-	810
LANCASTER	31 267	4 022	661	4 783	4 436	4 230	4 160	3 977	3 901	6	7	1 084
LAWRENCE	8 517	1 193	-	1 304	1 217	1 261	1 155	1 158	1 080	-	-	149
LEBANON	9 189	1 248	194	1 347	1 267	1 235	1 211	1 240	1 188	-	-	259
LEHIGH	20 491	2 970	27	3 174	2 848	2 828	2 633	2 704	2 644	-	-	663
LUZERNE	21 301	2 940	-	3 075	2 961	2 932	2 887	2 765	2 807	-	-	934
LYCOMING	10 861	1 544	24	1 719	1 564	1 442	1 393	1 335	1 403	-	-	437
MCKEAN	4 390	587	29	633	617	618	564	590	543	-	-	209
MERCER	9 875	1 427	19	1 488	1 404	1 394	1 333	1 331	1 392	-	-	87
MIFFLIN	3 281	460	-	519	473	446	409	438	427	-	-	109
MONROE	7 835	1 091	-	1 150	1 088	1 036	1 028	1 035	1 006	-	-	401
MONTGOMERY	39 861	5 709	180	6 210	5 672	5 309	5 002	5 004	5 082	-	-	1 593
MONTOUR	1 371	205	-	213	199	189	191	191	169	-	-	14
NORTHAMPTON	19 335	2 636	99	2 821	2 759	2 551	2 481	2 461	2 531	-	-	996
NORTHUMBERLAND	7 564	1 056	12	1 099	1 091	1 052	1 007	997	998	-	-	252
PERRY	4 093	576	13	635	588	612	562	519	548	-	-	40
PHILADELPHIA	107 604	13 804	-	18 230	15 788	15 059	13 629	12 584	11 653	-	-	6 857
PIKE	1 315	207	-	212	190	171	165	127	176	-	-	67
POTTER	1 804	250	-	256	235	270	239	252	220	-	-	82
SCHUYLKILL	10 528	1 519	36	1 505	1 481	1 396	1 408	1 340	1 382	-	-	461
SNYDER	2 828	391	15	385	344	358	387	383	429	-	-	136
SOMERSET	7 406	1 007	14	1 129	1 015	1 059	1 053	1 019	1 028	-	-	82
SULLIVAN	547	68	-	89	89	88	63	62	76	-	-	12
SUSQUEHANNA	4 590	680	-	687	643	655	606	583	610	-	-	126
TIOGA	3 886	623	-	649	552	511	509	521	457	-	-	64
UNION	2 221	328	11	308	302	296	314	265	294	-	-	103
VENANGO	6 427	992	9	918	831	900	874	877	821	-	-	205
WARREN	3 956	639	-	567	580	553	523	517	485	-	-	92
WASHINGTON	16 048	2 260	24	2 312	2 240	2 185	2 235	2 160	2 148	-	-	484
WAYNE	4 075	571	-	622	576	552	541	540	506	-	-	167
WESTMORELAND	28 854	4 048	36	4 205	4 015	3 967	3 868	4 013	3 875	-	-	827
WYOMING	2 690	393	-	407	378	386	355	358	338	-	-	75
YORK	25 454	3 585	166	3 889	3 606	3 382	3 358	3 312	3 344	-	-	812

TABLE 4

PUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY GRADE BY COUNTY
1987-88

COUNTY	TOTAL	GRADE 7	8	9	10	11	12	POST-GRADUATES	UN-GRADED
STATE TOTAL	793 758	118 327	118 537	133 426	133 449	131 877	130 812	18	27 312
ADAMS	5 586	884	838	927	945	820	874	-	298
ALLEGHENY	82 204	10 967	11 135	13 427	14 023	14 194	14 599	-	3 859
ARMSTRONG	6 504	1 031	1 027	971	1 041	1 139	1 059	-	236
BEAVER	14 293	2 208	2 031	2 452	2 361	2 555	2 418	-	266
BEDFORD	4 302	618	714	716	716	741	734	-	63
BERKS	23 399	3 662	3 555	3 907	3 865	3 850	3 816	-	744
BLAIR	10 389	1 658	1 611	1 641	1 788	1 840	1 767	-	84
BRADFORD	5 890	992	882	1 017	957	983	950	-	109
BUCKS	36 114	5 350	5 383	5 674	5 920	6 055	6 234	-	1 498
BUTLER	11 439	1 698	1 736	1 909	2 019	2 089	1 860	-	128
CAMBRIA	12 108	1 738	1 754	1 920	2 147	2 153	2 194	2	200
CAMERON	554	86	79	91	97	112	84	-	5
CARBON	3 815	599	586	640	671	609	679	-	31
CENTRE	6 291	930	984	1 070	1 122	1 141	1 033	-	11
CHESTER	24 446	3 727	3 808	4 100	3 972	4 054	4 285	12	488
CLARION	4 212	645	672	671	679	764	735	-	46
CLEARFIELD	7 749	1 189	1 352	1 262	1 291	1 301	1 310	-	44
CLINTON	2 820	456	462	493	464	473	468	-	4
COLUMBIA	5 497	784	798	893	952	1 003	971	-	96
CRAWFORD	6 121	902	942	976	1 080	1 064	1 090	-	67
CUMBERLAND	16 414	2 452	2 514	2 683	2 749	2 875	2 882	-	259
DAUPHIN	15 928	2 411	2 454	2 915	2 683	2 717	2 366	-	382
DELAWARE	26 762	3 995	3 843	4 360	4 433	4 528	4 777	-	826
ELK	2 702	372	377	419	445	460	440	-	189
ERIE	20 146	2 914	2 758	3 508	-3 505	3 451	3 253	-	757
FAYETTE	11 503	1 722	1 737	1 930	1 818	1 802	1 735	-	759
FOREST	420	58	70	73	60	73	76	-	10
FRANKLIN	9 263	1 436	1 468	1 515	1 559	1 633	1 490	-	162
FULTON	1 240	193	192	210	177	206	181	-	81
GREENE	3 684	609	579	614	591	603	560	-	128
HUNTINGDON	3 453	563	510	574	558	614	593	-	41
INDIANA	6 907	1 088	1 138	1 120	1 181	1 174	1 079	-	127
JEFFERSON	3 859	543	594	610	663	701	731	-	17
JUNIATA	1 663	242	228	257	279	305	282	-	70
LACKAWANNA	13 536	2 093	2 034	2 117	2 198	2 291	2 283	-	520
LANCASTER	25 948	4 165	4 270	4 337	4 312	4 312	3 987	-	565
LAWRENCE	7 573	1 178	1 091	1 262	1 267	1 343	1 384	-	48
LEBANON	8 316	1 222	1 309	1 429	1 456	1 358	1 345	-	197
LEHIGH	18 046	2 766	2 775	2 963	3 012	3 129	3 122	-	279
LUZERNE	20 933	2 987	3 017	3 337	3 535	3 538	3 616	-	903
LYCOMING	9 304	1 519	1 439	1 498	1 612	1 647	1 506	-	83
MCKEAN	4 318	613	630	704	749	749	709	-	164
MERCER	9 399	1 457	1 449	1 593	1 518	1 631	1 573	-	178
MIFFLIN	3 156	457	498	573	509	411	541	-	167
MONROE	6 722	1 026	1 037	1 104	1 098	1 109	983	-	365
MONTGOMERY	36 632	5 240	5 543	5 843	6 026	6 346	6 539	1	1 094
MONTOUR	1 162	214	181	221	190	163	187	-	6
NORTHAMPTON	17 169	2 584	2 564	2 756	2 737	2 759	2 752	-	1 017
NORTHUMBERLAND	7 289	1 099	1 145	1 181	1 213	1 263	1 180	-	208
PERRY	3 517	538	632	609	602	571	550	-	65
PHILADELPHIA	87 094	13 046	12 452	17 438	15 171	11 786	11 534	-	5 667
PIKE	1 049	171	164	175	145	152	143	-	99
POTTER	1 724	236	257	265	290	281	293	-	102
SCHUYLKILL	10 519	1 529	1 457	1 715	1 806	1 711	1 602	-	699
SNYDER	2 652	399	444	483	387	439	479	-	21
SOMERSET	6 628	1 072	1 084	1 123	1 067	1 126	1 078	-	78
SULLIVAN	460	71	81	56	86	91	71	-	4
SUSQUEHANNA	3 668	580	561	622	594	621	631	3	56
TIOGA	3 510	542	598	598	588	574	555	-	55
UNION	1 928	272	282	338	325	310	320	-	81
VENANGO	5 609	995	892	983	945	866	872	-	56
WARREN	3 492	502	582	541	597	589	630	-	51
WASHINGTON	15 934	2 309	2 418	2 599	2 645	2 756	2 792	-	415
WAYNE	3 403	543	531	581	545	541	575	-	87
WESTMORELAND	29 145	4 297	4 416	4 539	5 017	5 039	5 001	-	836
WYOMING	2 507	391	393	418	410	409	419	-	67
YORK	23 739	3 492	3 500	3 880	3 984	3 884	3 955	-	1 044

TABLE 5

PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY RACE BY COUNTY
1987-88

COUNTY	TOTAL	AMER IND ALASK NTVE	ASIAN PACIFIC ISLND	BLACK (NON-HISPANIC)	HISPANIC	WHITE (NON-HISPANIC)
STATE TOTALS	874 784	514	12 230	120 269	23 231	718 540
ADAMS	6 420	-	33	118	144	6 125
ALLEGHENY	83 948	75	1 029	17 692	234	64 918
ARMSTRONG	6 895	1	18	57	4	6 815
BEAVER	15 295	8	46	1 403	27	13 811
BEDFORD	4 519	2	5	13	14	4 485
BERKS	27 124	6	234	1 058	2 081	23 745
BLAIR	10 905	4	53	122	17	10 709
BRADFORD	6 744	2	16	14	4	6 708
BUCKS	39 510	13	729	1 632	684	36 452
BUTLER	12 607	7	63	80	31	12 426
CAMBRIA	11 799	-	41	468	25	11 265
CAMERON	581	1	2	1	-	577
CARBON	4 006	-	12	12	24	3 958
CENTRE	6 530	11	191	86	53	6 189
CHESTER	27 840	16	393	2 706	681	24 044
CLARION	4 509	-	14	13	7	4 475
CLEARFIELD	9 006	4	40	20	4	8 938
CLINTON	3 113	-	5	5	-	3 103
COLUMBIA	5 782	3	22	35	14	5 708
CRAWFORD	6 595	2	26	148	9	6 410
CUMBERLAND	17 191	18	306	287	66	16 514
DAUPHIN	18 757	8	321	4 757	740	12 931
DELAWARE	31 556	17	759	5 858	381	24 541
ELK	2 333	-	14	1	-	2 318
ERIE	22 378	11	146	1 914	378	19 929
FAYETTE	12 378	2	18	676	9	11 673
FOREST	427	1	-	1	-	425
FRANKLIN	9 464	6	61	438	59	8 900
FULTON	1 463	-	2	16	-	1 445
GREENE	3 989	3	14	26	3	3 943
HUNTINGDON	3 696	1	1	73	-	3 621
INDIANA	7 671	-	31	66	10	7 564
JEFFERSON	4 170	-	16	7	2	4 145
JUNIATA	1 822	1	13	7	1	1 800
LACKAWANNA	14 297	11	149	215	31	13 891
LANCASTER	31 267	16	587	1 270	1 956	27 438
LAWRENCE	8 517	-	31	453	8	8 025
LEBANON	9 189	5	131	66	299	8 688
LEHIGH	20 491	6	327	807	1 921	17 430
LUZERNE	21 301	10	96	292	84	20 819
LYCOMING	10 861	2	59	254	9	10 537
MCKEAN	4 390	8	24	8	6	4 344
MERCER	9 875	4	64	682	23	9 102
MIFFLIN	3 281	8	17	17	7	3 232
MONROE	7 835	8	93	185	98	7 451
MONTGOMERY	39 861	16	1 532	3 701	493	34 119
MONTOUR	1 371	3	24	7	-	1 337
NORTHAMPTON	19 335	3	211	788	1 218	17 115
NORTHUMBERLAND	7 564	6	11	60	41	7 446
PERRY	4 093	-	4	13	7	4 069
PHILADELPHIA	107 604	101	3 559	68 278	10 530	25 136
PIKE	1 315	5	8	9	23	1 270
POTTER	1 804	-	8	3	7	1 786
SCHUYLKILL	10 528	6	55	77	11	10 379
SNYDER	2 828	1	11	3	3	2 810
SOMERSET	7 406	6	18	10	2	7 370
SULLIVAN	547	-	-	2	-	545
SUSQUEHANNA	4 590	-	8	15	9	4 558
TIOGA	3 886	5	5	31	1	3 844
UNION	2 221	5	13	20	7	2 176
VENANGO	6 427	5	28	44	15	6 335
WARREN	3 956	4	13	4	4	3 931
WASHINGTON	16 048	6	56	790	32	15 164
WAYNE	4 075	2	12	6	13	4 042
WESTMORELAND	28 854	11	187	888	47	27 721
WYOMING	2 690	2	6	9	6	2 667
YORK	25 454	26	209	1 452	614	23 153

TABLE 6

PUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY RACE BY COUNTY
1987-88

COUNTY	TOTAL	AMER IND ALASK NTVE	ASIAN PACIFIC ISLND	BLACK (NON-HISPANIC)	HISPANIC	WHITE (NON-HISPANIC)
STATE TOTALS	793 758	676	10 682	98 082	15 807	668 511
ADAMS	5 586	2	27	121	73	5 363
ALLEGHENY	82 204	58	845	14 556	166	66 579
ARMSTRONG	6 504	2	11	60	6	6 425
BEAVER	14 293	13	36	1 248	28	12 968
BEDFORD	4 302	-	19	27	3	4 253
BERKS	23 399	9	257	853	1 348	20 932
BLAIR	10 389	3	49	103	14	10 220
BRADFORD	5 890	3	10	12	9	5 856
BUCKS	36 114	31	598	1 515	509	33 461
BUTLER	11 439	3	44	62	24	11 306
CAMBRIA	12 108	1	40	338	19	11 710
CAMERON	554	2	-	2	2	548
CARBON	3 815	1	18	4	32	3 760
CENTRE	6 291	11	50	68	35	6 127
CHESTER	24 446	14	382	2 220	481	21 349
CLARION	4 212	13	13	9	-	4 177
CLEARFIELD	7 749	4	34	11	3	7 697
CLINTON	2 820	-	9	5	-	2 806
COLUMBIA	5 497	4	18	26	7	5 442
CRAWFORD	6 121	10	31	127	13	5 940
CUMBERLAND	16 414	17	255	248	42	15 852
DAUPHIN	15 928	13	278	3 590	406	11 641
DELAWARE	26 762	32	687	4 518	216	21 309
ELK	2 702	-	15	6	-	2 681
ERIE	20 146	34	98	1 600	233	18 181
FAYETTE	11 503	4	20	679	4	10 796
FOREST	420	-	-	3	-	417
FRANKLIN	9 263	20	51	441	39	8 712
FULTON	1 240	1	1	18	-	1 220
GREENE	3 684	3	5	18	8	3 650
HUNTINGDON	3 453	1	4	61	1	3 386
INDIANA	6 907	1	55	76	9	6 766
JEFFERSON	3 859	-	13	2	2	3 842
JUNIATA	1 663	3	7	4	2	1 647
LACKAWANNA	13 536	5	131	126	33	13 241
LANCASTER	25 948	7	536	943	1 397	23 065
LAWRENCE	7 573	3	40	385	5	7 140
LEBANON	8 316	3	108	47	258	7 900
LEHIGH	18 046	10	248	562	1 129	16 097
LUZERNE	20 933	18	89	158	46	20 622
LYCOMING	9 304	7	46	168	6	9 077
MCKEAN	4 318	12	21	15	3	4 267
MERCER	9 399	4	43	762	17	8 573
MIFFLIN	3 156	6	9	12	9	3 120
MONROE	6 722	15	68	135	77	6 427
MONTGOMERY	36 632	27	1 423	3 315	388	31 479
MONTOUR	1 162	-	21	4	1	1 136
NORTHAMPTON	17 169	6	178	559	902	15 524
NORTHUMBERLAND	7 289	6	9	24	26	7 224
PERRY	3 517	1	11	10	12	3 483
PHILADELPHIA	87 094	96	3 192	55 334	7 188	21 284
PIKE	1 049	-	4	13	11	1 021
POTTER	1 724	-	7	4	2	1 711
SCHUYLKILL	10 519	6	30	35	16	10 432
SNYDER	2 652	2	16	2	-	2 632
SOMERSET	6 628	1	17	4	4	6 602
SULLIVAN	460	-	-	-	-	460
SUSQUEHANNA	3 668	3	4	12	6	3 643
TIOGA	3 510	2	7	14	-	3 487
UNION	1 928	1	14	15	9	1 889
VENANGO	5 609	9	35	40	10	5 515
WARREN	3 492	16	9	1	7	3 459
WASHINGTON	15 934	24	59	786	36	15 029
WAYNE	3 403	-	5	11	14	3 373
WESTMORELAND	29 145	43	130	704	76	28 192
WYOMING	2 507	-	6	9	3	2 489
YORK	23 739	30	186	1 242	382	21 899

TABLE 7

PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN OPERATION
1978-79 THROUGH 1987-88

Year	Total	Elementary	Secondary	Combined*
1978-79	3 903	2 532	989	382
1979-80	3 805	2 439	974	392
1980-81	3 734	2 368	952	414
1981-82	3 616	2 261	932	423
1982-83	3 507	2 162	903	442
1983-84	3 487	2 108	901	478
1984-85	3 432	2 056	895	481
1985-86	3 410	2 037	887	486
1986-87	3 397	2 027	881	489
1987-88	3 313	2 013	865	435

* Includes Middle Schools.

TABLE 8

DISTRIBUTION OF PUBLIC SECONDARY AND COMBINED SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC SECONDARY ENROLLMENTS BY GRADE BY SCHOOL CLASSIFICATION, 1987-88

CLASSIFICATION	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	TOTAL ENROLLMENTS	GRADE 7	8	9	10	11	12	POST-GRADUATES	UN-GRADED
STATE TOTALS	1 383	793 758	118 327	118 537	133 426	133 449	131 877	130 812	18	27 312
THREE-YEAR JHS (7-9)	123	83 520	26 863	27 120	27 226	-	-	-	-	2 311
SIX-YEAR JSHS (7-12)	193	129 112	20 510	20 561	21 927	21 616	21 861	21 625	3	1 009
THREE-YEAR SHS (10-12)	90	96 025	-	-	-	30 908	32 078	32 177	-	862
FOUR-YEAR HS (9-12)	265	272 624	-	-	69 061	68 750	66 617	65 865	3	2 328
TWO-YEAR JHS (7-8)	56	28 252	13 820	13 845	-	-	-	-	-	587
TWO-YEAR HS (9-10)	11	9 585	-	-	4 763	4 756	-	-	-	66
TWO-YEAR HS (11-12)	8	8 085	-	-	-	-	4 094	3 991	-	-
STATE-OWNED (SPECIAL)*	1	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69
VOC-TECH (FULL-TIME)	14	12 911	-	-	1 902	3 692	3 721	3 451	12	133
VOC-TECH (PART-TIME)*	71	43 101	-	-	404	10 434	15 182	16 340	229	512
SPECIAL EDUCATION	13	2 876	-	19	205	122	117	100	-	2 313
MIDDLE SCHOOL	269	100 172	49 767	46 462	1 054	-	-	-	-	2 889
OTHER COMBINED	249	34 842	7 367	6 473	2 611	1 243	1 163	1 226	-	14 759
ALL OTHER	20	15 754	-	4 057	4 677	2 362	2 226	2 377	-	55

* ENROLLMENTS ARE ALSO REPORTED BY THE SENDING SCHOOL. THEREFORE, BEING DUPLICATE DATA, THESE ENROLLMENTS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE STATE TOTALS.

TABLE 9

ENROLLMENTS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS BY GRADE, 1987-88

	NO. SCHS	TOTAL ENROLLMENTS	4	5	6	ELEM UNGR	7	8	9	SEC UNGR
STATE TOTALS	269	158 102	577	9 979	46 340	1 034	49 767	46 462	1 054	2 889
4-YR MIDDLE SCHOOL (GR. 5-8)	54	36 550	-	8 766	8 747	199	9 270	9 080	-	488
3-YR MIDDLE SCHOOL (GR. 6-8)	190	107 155	-	-	33 374	640	35 619	35 400	-	2 122
OTHER MIDDLE SCHOOL	25	14 397	577	1 213	4 219	195	4 878	1 982	1 054	279

TABLE 10

ENROLLMENTS OF AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOLS BY GRADE, 1987-88

	NO. SCHS	TOTAL ENROLLMENTS	GRADES 7	8	9	10	11	12	POST-GRADUATES	SEC UNGR
STATE TOTALS	85	56 012	-	-	2 306	14 126	18 903	19 791	241	645
FULL-TIME AVTS	14	12 911	-	-	1 902	3 692	3 721	3 451	12	133
PART-TIME AVTS	71	43 101	-	-	404	10 434	15 182	16 340	229	512

Nonpublic School Enrollments

FIGURE 4
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT TREND
FALL 1968 THROUGH FALL 1987

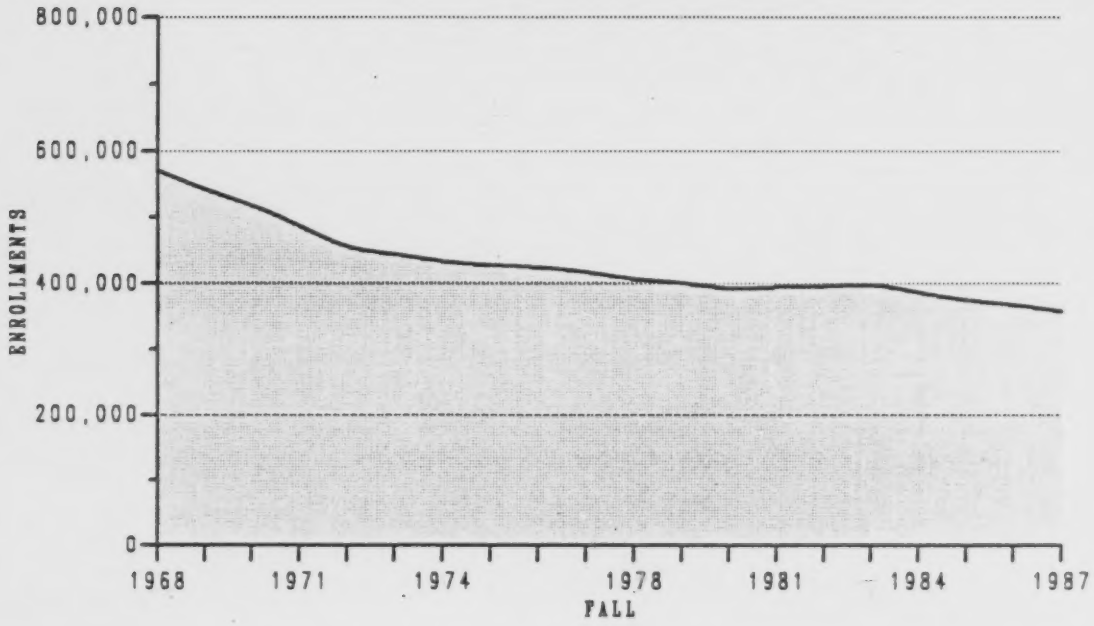


FIGURE 5
NONPUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY ENROLLMENTS
FALL 1978 THROUGH FALL 1987

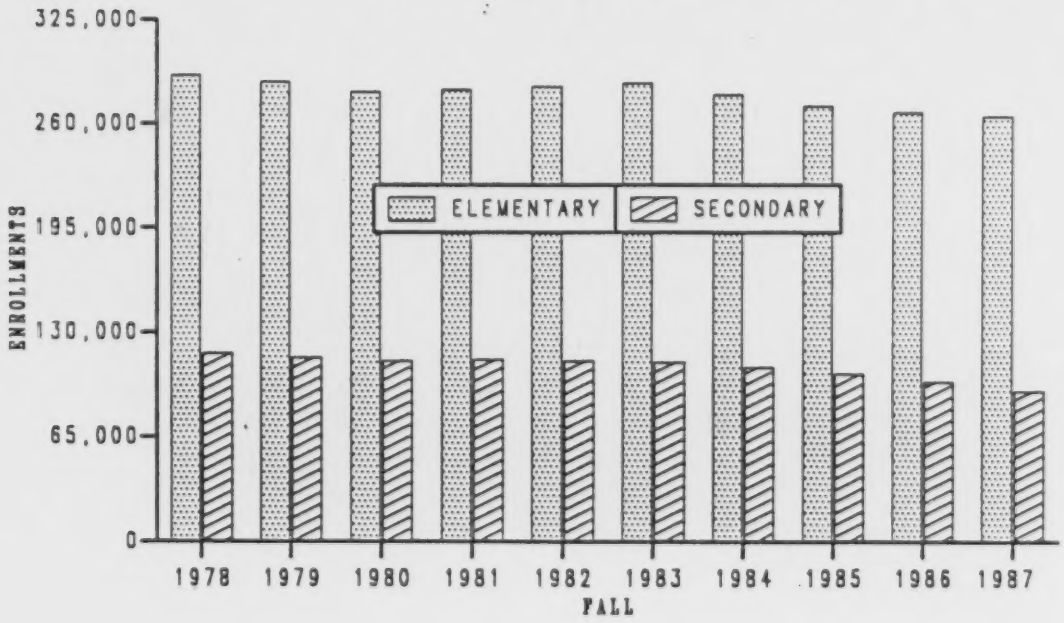


TABLE 11

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY LEVEL
1978-79 THROUGH 1987-88

Year	Total	Elementary	Secondary
1978-79	406 485	289 630	116 855
1979-80	399 955	285 514	114 441
1980-81	392 402	280 319	112 083
1981-82	394 099	281 357	112 742
1982-83*	401 628	288 665	112 963
1983-84	396 233	285 372	110 861
1984-85	386 020	278 236	107 784
1985-86	374 398	270 541	103 857
1986-87	366 679	267 241	99 438
1987-88	357 013	263 579	93 434

* Due to reporting inconsistencies, the 1982-83 enrollment figure as recorded is too high. The 1982-83 nonpublic enrollment figure could have as many as 6,600 students more than were actually enrolled. The majority of these enrollments are at the elementary level.

The total enrollment pattern for the nonpublic schools during the past decade shows a general decline with some fluctuation occurring at the elementary level. The secondary enrollments have continued to decline.

The total nonpublic school enrollment for 1987-88 was 357,013, a decrease of 2.6 percent from the 1986-87 figure of 366,679. Although there has been an across-the-board decline in nonpublic enrollments, it should be noted during the past three years, nonpublic elementary school enrollments have declined while public elementary school enrollments have been on the rise. Nonpublic secondary enrollments dropped 6.0 percent in 1987-88 from the 99,438 pupils reported in 1986-87 to 93,434.

TABLE 12

NONPUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY GRADE BY COUNTY
1987-88

COUNTY	TOTAL	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	UNGRADED
STATE TOTALS	263 579	33 454	34 465	32 301	31 425	29 335	28 360	26 639	22 787	22 006	2 807
ADAMS	1 014	103	141	118	125	110	120	105	90	89	13
ALLEGHENY	32 580	4 869	4 245	4 018	3 782	3 505	3 360	3 257	2 795	2 621	128
ARMSTRONG	728	79	116	111	96	89	84	69	35	49	-
BEAVER	2 011	236	287	249	247	250	209	191	170	128	44
BEDFORD	255	34	30	41	33	32	29	26	13	11	6
BERKS	4 344	574	594	557	510	508	466	427	331	300	77
BLAIR	2 388	271	323	288	327	297	259	261	185	166	11
BRADFORD	468	16	50	61	83	59	58	50	38	51	2
BUCKS	15 219	1 820	1 928	1 784	1 799	1 681	1 673	1 585	1 333	1 303	313
BUTLER	1 631	259	239	218	210	186	174	155	99	81	10
CAMBRIA	3 953	408	523	471	509	444	475	375	377	371	-
CAMERON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CARBON	1 029	125	141	123	142	112	106	98	85	97	-
CENTRE	829	254	111	115	105	85	73	61	13	12	-
CHESTER	7 259	1 150	896	806	819	711	750	728	603	494	302
CLARION	449	54	62	68	67	53	62	40	23	18	2
CLEARFIELD	616	80	104	73	87	64	64	78	24	17	25
CLINTON	404	39	58	45	48	60	38	49	15	52	-
COLUMBIA	554	125	89	85	70	56	41	49	11	6	22
CRAWFORD	924	83	128	118	132	119	95	107	73	67	2
CUMBERLAND	2 430	407	328	288	286	253	285	228	178	164	13
DAUPHIN	4 579	815	562	510	480	463	474	450	414	404	-
DELAWARE	19 320	2 164	2 405	2 320	2 352	2 143	2 102	1 993	1 833	1 756	252
ELK	1 350	177	203	157	187	152	143	118	101	112	-
ERIE	8 417	906	995	1 010	978	904	967	857	898	871	51
FAYETTE	1 990	308	277	295	263	225	219	171	111	121	-
FOREST	11	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	-	-	-
FRANKLIN	1 150	145	175	161	170	137	139	122	37	60	4
FULTON	18	-	2	5	3	4	-	3	1	-	-
GREENE	62	16	4	11	6	14	5	5	-	1	-
HUNTINGDON	80	7	10	5	12	8	11	11	3	1	12
INDIANA	647	91	93	86	84	84	69	70	25	34	11
JEFFERSON	286	20	45	39	34	38	33	32	26	19	-
JUNIATA	217	14	36	32	23	33	28	25	28	18	-
LACKAWANNA	4 888	611	559	586	572	533	522	508	476	486	35
LANCASTER	11 148	933	1 428	1 413	1 394	1 303	1 262	1 172	1 024	1 176	45
LAWRENCE	934	115	122	125	127	100	102	83	74	86	-
LEBANON	1 474	154	210	191	197	173	162	142	111	131	3
LEHIGH	3 950	698	527	458	438	401	380	353	283	280	132
LUZERNE	7 035	1 073	922	790	788	700	686	683	684	626	83
LYCOMING	974	165	144	141	135	119	111	115	12	10	22
MCKEAN	380	56	38	46	58	51	61	43	5	1	1
MERCER	1 392	170	191	170	150	178	150	168	110	105	-
MIFFLIN	833	48	114	114	103	110	98	97	56	55	38
MONROE	748	174	128	95	101	81	70	71	-	1	27
MONTGOMERY	23 927	3 981	2 980	2 723	2 642	2 676	2 510	2 344	1 878	1 797	436
MONTOUR	256	23	41	39	31	28	36	28	15	15	-
NORTHAMPTON	4 734	713	665	621	558	543	507	454	377	296	-
NORTHUMBERLAND	1 792	245	251	232	219	212	193	173	140	101	26
PERRY	226	14	22	19	25	16	18	25	45	35	7
PHILADELPHIA	64 116	6 229	8 638	8 017	7 652	7 204	6 963	6 663	6 215	6 045	490
PIKE	20	4	5	2	1	2	3	1	2	-	-
POTTER	79	11	14	14	11	8	6	13	2	-	-
SCHUYLKILL	2 929	324	362	371	359	321	320	296	280	270	26
SNYDER	345	4	49	46	54	51	43	40	34	24	-
SOMERSET	652	44	93	100	98	103	85	67	23	20	19
SULLIVAN	23	3	2	3	3	2	3	3	-	4	-
SUSQUEHANNA	69	2	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	58	1
TIOGA	236	28	49	35	35	42	13	21	7	6	2
UNION	443	12	58	71	56	65	50	52	19	40	-
VENANGO	622	63	78	86	79	76	77	70	90	43	-
WARREN	356	43	55	55	54	55	47	30	10	7	-
WASHINGTON	2 101	303	286	292	273	233	218	200	162	134	-
WAYNE	379	52	55	50	52	54	37	43	19	17	-
WESTMORELAND	5 775	926	725	749	718	665	656	536	393	365	42
WYOMING	21	4	3	4	2	4	2	2	-	-	-
YORK	3 470	620	426	372	369	345	356	346	293	280	63

TABLE 13

NONPUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY GRADE BY COUNTY
1987-88

COUNTY	TOTAL	7	8	GRADE 9	10	11	12	UN-GRADED	POST-GRADUATE
STATE TOTALS	93 434	2 861	3 124	20 504	20 977	21 668	22 267	1 911	122
ADAMS	534	3	11	146	147	164	163	-	-
ALLEGHENY	8 155	204	185	1 841	1 843	1 980	2 012	90	-
ARMSTRONG	61	9	9	16	10	11	6	-	-
BEAVER	525	31	29	96	80	97	92	100	-
BEDFORD	37	7	8	8	4	5	5	-	-
BERKS	1 868	85	91	381	418	410	441	42	-
BLAIR	668	35	27	151	139	149	167	-	-
BRADFORD	24	2	6	-	3	-	2	11	-
BUCKS	5 038	145	168	1 361	1 385	1 536	1 439	2	2
BUTLER	147	27	26	23	23	13	20	15	-
CAMBRIA	922	7	6	213	211	209	276	-	-
CAMERON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CARBON	8	2	1	1	2	-	2	-	-
CENTRE	80	20	12	7	19	8	14	-	-
CHESTER	3 272	128	152	681	714	657	682	257	1
CLARION	40	3	5	8	10	7	7	-	-
CLEARFIELD	390	68	55	62	64	63	63	15	-
CLINTON	14	2	3	5	4	-	-	-	-
COLUMBIA	83	19	15	4	6	15	13	11	-
CRAWFORD	61	16	-	2	13	15	15	-	-
CUMBERLAND	914	44	58	183	203	209	217	-	-
DAUPHIN	1 602	48	51	377	416	362	348	-	-
DELAWARE	8 980	112	190	2 018	2 127	2 085	2 284	138	26
ELK	317	-	-	84	78	86	69	-	-
ERIE	2 515	37	35	546	566	609	617	105	-
FAYETTE	492	25	14	109	112	112	120	-	-
FOREST	81	2	2	2	12	22	41	-	-
FRANKLIN	789	65	72	123	147	187	179	-	16
FULTON	11	4	2	3	-	2	-	-	-
GREENE	36	6	5	8	6	6	5	-	-
HUNTINGDON	217	11	16	27	35	52	54	22	-
INDIANA	298	1	2	54	77	70	74	8	12
JEFFERSON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
JUNIATA	24	6	6	4	6	1	1	-	-
LACKAWANNA	1 991	22	23	448	473	501	476	48	-
LANCASTER	2 742	214	219	562	566	593	562	18	8
LAWRENCE	136	-	-	30	26	34	35	11	-
LEBANON	518	48	62	93	93	104	106	12	-
LEHIGH	1 218	16	21	249	271	299	267	95	-
LUZERNE	2 408	29	29	556	540	604	580	49	21
LYCOMING	380	50	45	42	63	59	54	67	-
MCKEAN	184	27	30	28	25	31	31	12	-
MERCER	632	7	13	126	124	100	110	152	-
MIFFLIN	112	20	16	24	14	22	14	2	-
MONROE	399	68	74	60	52	58	80	7	-
MONTGOMERY	12 376	434	525	2 631	2 663	2 877	2 941	275	30
MONTOUR	67	5	2	21	19	12	8	-	-
NORTHAMPTON	1 687	90	77	364	352	408	392	-	4
NORTHUMBERLAND	617	56	46	126	128	131	130	-	-
PERRY	176	-	-	43	49	38	44	-	-
PHILADELPHIA	23 944	404	459	5 635	5 650	5 616	5 949	231	-
PIKE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
POTTER	40	9	8	4	9	5	5	-	-
SCHUYLKILL	998	4	9	243	255	226	246	15	-
SNYDER	10	-	1	3	3	2	1	-	-
SOMERSET	173	25	33	27	33	34	19	2	-
SULLIVAN	22	-	-	-	4	12	6	-	-
SUSQUEHANNA	6	1	3	1	-	-	-	1	-
TIOGA	98	17	23	13	19	12	12	-	2
UNION	54	5	6	16	13	8	6	-	-
VENANGO	237	10	13	59	48	62	37	8	-
WARREN	57	10	14	11	9	6	7	-	-
WASHINGTON	548	20	25	92	118	129	156	8	-
WAYNE	114	21	11	17	25	16	23	1	-
WESTMORELAND	993	24	21	202	190	245	268	43	-
WYOMING	25	5	6	5	3	4	2	-	-
YORK	1 171	46	48	229	260	278	272	38	-

TABLE 14

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION BY LEVEL
1987-88

RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION	TOTAL SCHOOLS	% CHG	ENROLLMENTS Total	Elementary	Secondary
STATE TOTALS	2 238	+ 0.95	357 013	263 579	93 434
NON-CATHOLIC TOTALS	1 418	+ 2.09	98 315	68 323	29 992
RELIGIOUS/ NON-CATHOLIC TOTALS	955	+ 1.27	70 102	50 688	19 414
Amish	310	- 0.32	8 889	8 889	-
Assembly of God	9	-10.00	908	843	65
Baptist	96	+ 4.35	8 560	5 772	2 788
Episcopal	14	- 6.67	2 053	1 526	527
Friends	24	+ 4.35	5 626	3 493	2 133
God's Missionary Church	3	+50.00	48	28	20
Jewish	27	- 3.57	3 142	2 565	577
Lutheran	23	-11.54	1 755	1 698	57
Mennonite	82	n.c.	8 029	6 092	1 937
Methodist	17	-10.53	1 176	694	482
Presbyterian	12	- 7.69	581	412	169
Seventh-day Adventist	30	- 3.23	1 269	737	532
Other Religions	308	+ 5.84	28 066	17 939	10 127
SECULAR TOTALS	463	+ 3.81	28 213	17 635	10 578
ROMAN CATHOLIC TOTALS	820	- 0.97	258 698	195 256	63 442
Allentown Diocese	75	n.c.	17 587	13 491	4 096
Altoona-Johnstown Diocese	39	- 2.50	8 108	6 713	1 395
Erie Diocese	57	- 1.72	15 381	11 939	3 442
Greensburg Diocese	50	n.c.	8 628	7 427	1 201
Harrisburg Diocese	60	+ 3.45	15 138	11 144	3 994
Philadelphia Diocese	316	- 1.56	140 132	100 949	39 183
Pittsburgh Diocese	152	- 1.94	38 504	31 716	6 788
Scranton Diocese	71	n.c.	15 220	11 877	3 343

TABLE 15

NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS IN OPERATION
1978-79 THROUGH 1987-88

Year	Total	Elementary	Secondary	Combined
1978-79	1 667	1 215	182	270
1979-80	1 779	1 289	183	307
1980-81	1 757	1 288	176	293
1981-82	1 815	1 304	179	332
1982-83	2 039	1 488	193	358
1983-84	2 105	1 522	184	399
1984-85	2 163	1 569	187	407
1985-86	2 202	1 632	193	377
1986-87	2 217	1 652	183	382
1987-88	2 238	1 671	188	379

GLOSSARY

COMBINED SCHOOL -- a school which includes both elementary-level pupils and secondary-level pupils.

FULL-TIME AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL -- a school in which pupils from participating school districts attend a centrally located technical school organized, established and operated as a complete technical high school which provides the pupil with the total educational program of shop or laboratory and general instruction.

MIDDLE SCHOOL -- a combined school with at least three consecutive grades from 5 through 8 and other schools approved as a middle school.

PART-TIME AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL -- a school in which pupils from participating school districts attend a centrally located shop-laboratory center half of the school time for the practical shop or laboratory instruction program and remain in their respective resident high school half-time for the general education instruction program.

POSTGRADUATE -- a high school graduate that returns to high school and enrolls in regular high school classes. SHOULD NOT INCLUDE ADULT EDUCATION.

RACE/ETHNIC CATEGORIES --

American Indian or Alaskan Native - all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America, and who maintain cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community recognition.

Asian or Pacific Islanders - all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian Subcontinent or the Pacific Islands. This area includes for example, China, Japan, Korea, India, the Philippine Islands and Samoa.

Black (Not of Hispanic origin) - all persons having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

Hispanic - all persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

White (Not of Hispanic origin) - all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa or the Middle East.

SCHOOL -- a division of a school system comprised of one or more grade groups organized as one unit, usually under the direction of a principal or a head teacher. One building may house more than one school or one school may occupy all or part of one or more buildings.